

LEO KESSEL, M.D., 940 Park Avenue, New York City; graduated in medicine from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York City, in 1903; elected a Fellow of the Academy April 1, 1909; died, December 5, 1932. Dr. Kessel was a Fellow of the American Medical Association, a member of the American Society for the Advancement of Science, a member of the County and State Medical Societies, a member of the Society of Associated Alumni of Mt. Sinai Hospital, and Physician to Mt. Sinai Hospital. He was a member of the National Tubercular Association, the Society for Clinical Investigation, and had contributed to many medical journals articles on heart disease, pneumonia, arthritis, the thyroid gland, tuberculosis and exophthalmic goitre.

EDWARD AMBROSE KING, M.D., 115 East 61 Street, New York City; graduated in medicine from the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., in 1912; elected a Fellow of the Academy October 2, 1919; died, December 9, 1932. Dr. King was a Fellow of the American Medical Association, a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons, a member of the County and State Medical Societies, a member of the Society of Associated Alumni of St. Vincent's Hospital and Surgeon to the same Hospital, also Surgeon to the Foundling Hospital, New York. He was Consulting Surgeon to St. Joseph's Hospital, Yonkers and Assistant Surgeon to Misericordia Hospital, New York.

WILLIAM SYDNEY THAYER, M.D., 1208 Eutaw Place, Baltimore, Maryland; graduated in medicine from Harvard University, Boston, Mass., in 1889; elected an Honorary Fellow of the Academy November 18, 1926; died, December 10, 1932. He was former president of the American Medical Association, having been elected in 1927, also a member of the American Society of Tropical Medicine, of which he was president in 1910, and held honorary degrees from several Universities. Sir William Osler, first Professor of Medicine at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine had Dr. Thayer as his Chief Assistant. Later he was to fill the post that Dr. Osler held as Physician in Chief to Johns Hopkins Hospital. Had Dr. Thayer lived two more years he would have been honored throughout the world. His colleagues and former students had planned an international celebration of his seventieth birthday June, 1934.

FENTON BENEDICT TURCK, M.D., 14 East 53 Street, New York City; graduated in medicine from Northwestern University, Chicago, in 1891; elected a Fellow of the Academy December 18, 1913; died, November 16, 1932. Dr. Turck was a Fellow of the American Medical Association, a member of the American Gastro-Enterological Association and held teaching appointments in Chicago Philadelphia and New York. A large part of his professional life was devoted to research along pathological and biological lines and he prepared and published a number of books and numerous articles as a result of his investigations.

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